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AS TO THE NEXT CONGRESS. Chairman Babcock Shows the Impossibil-

ty of it Being for Free Wilver. Washington, Oct. 6 -- On the theory that Bryan is to be elected president, and bearing in mind the fact that a house of representatives is usually or the same

political party as the president elected at the same time, the eliver shouters are at ready chaining that they will have a majority in the house of the fifty fifth conconceding that the Republicans will have 162 votes that will be cust against any proposed free silver legislation with ten votes that they class as doubtful

These figures were submitted to Hon-David H. Mercer, secretary of the Repub llean congressional committee, yesterday, and commenting upon them, he said.

' The trouble with the silver calcula-

tors is that they are continually chasing 14 Dr. Copyrighted by Assor minhows. They make up their figures the the country and czarina ar- as they translated Bismarck's lettertiles and the from Cherkung The very carolessly I do not care to say what the congressional committee has decided upon at this stage of the campaign as uncertain and doubtful, so far as specific states are concerned, but I can state posttively that we already figure on more than 200 anti-free adver representatives in the fifty fifth congress. As there are only 356 members of the house, any one can form his id as as to what we think of the majority Now this is a conservative estimate, not one jumped at, or made up haphazard. I have given the opposition the benefit of every reasonable doubt.

"If any examples are desired to show upon what basis we calculate I will name a few To begin with, there are eight congressmen elected already---two in Oregon, two in Vermont and four in Maine -all anti free comage Republicans. We have that much start of them, Now, look act september, peach almond and at Ponnsylvania, where they claim two knows that we shall have an unbroken delegation in that state. They claim one and all and They then entered the in New Jersey, I wonder what district Republicans conceded 12,000. that can possibly be. We shall have a solid delegation there, too In Wisconsin, they claim three, but the delogation will be solidly against free colnage - It looks like a solid delgation from Minnesota they claim three. We admit that only to a tion a didiners arms presented one looks doubtful now, and that one fast he crossed into Indiana and delivered

tt ; d n, tn route and crowds will not be doubtful by election day 'In Nebraska, my own state, they con-20 thurs began The scene Iowa will be solid for us, they claim four They claim all the cight members in Knosas. We are sure of four, and probably soven. In Michigan the allver calcu-1013 s hissosthic specticle laters claim six, but they will be very lucky if they secure three. They actually stretching as far as claim all votes in Tennossee. We shall have three Republicans at least and one f buts arms, etc., held gold Demourat will be elected out of the the state of troops whose glit total of thirteen. In Museum they con to the transmission of the reflected the rede only two to us, but we are absolutely u t whise brilliant uniforms certin of five and the chances are favorable for a larger proportion than that out she is a und of coaring people of the delegation of lifteen. Equally ab-West Virgues decorations lifteen car surd is their claim of three in West Vir-We will in the pine ssion, escorted by ginia, allowing one to the Republicans, playing here for the past week. Last

we call d by the heartiness of the more, but this table gives us only one. . There samples are sufficient, I imagino, to show the emptiness of the claim that the next congress will be in favor of ating a panie. He was given plenty of

free coinage." Tongue Torn Out by a Woman.

Fishkill Landing, N. Y , Oct 0 -Antanio Surejine, who on Friday appeared famou me an amoors. Thay are not par at the home of a friend bleeding terribly which had one and even less accom- from the mouth and unable to articulate, ibited in the attract special interest told today, through the medium of a note rome the stemmeshiners. They had written in Italian, how he received his baines or i liv Mitt holl, Katlo Marrs ed him to hold out his tongue that she

> have been unable to find her. Spain Feeds Petsoners to Sharks.

Chicago, Oct 6.-A Key West special says. According to reliable advices from Havana, every night prisoners are taken out of prison, booked as released, then taken in a beat and carried out and thrown into the sea, where sharks are numerous, to devour them and thus leave atlan, indicate that the damage by the reno sign. Advices declare that from Sopt, cent floods in Sinaloa, is much greater I to 30, thirty eight prisoners disappear. than at first estimated. All the rivers ed in this way. Prisoners are tertured to everflowed their banks and a number of ing except sait and codish to cut and no hundred bedies have been recovered while dent Cheveland left for New Y rk this water.

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Lincoln, Nat. Oct. 6.—Objections have the weather been filed by the silver men against the morning. They paid their other men against the been filed by the silver men against the morning. They paid their

REPUBLICAN JOY.

The Town Elections in Connecticut Overwhelmingly Republican.

Comparisons Made With the Vote Two Years Ago -Hearing a Suit Brought by the United States in Chicago.

Hartford Conn., Oct. 0 .-- The greatest jubilation is taking place at the headquarters at the Republi an state central committe over the town elections in this state yesterday. One hundred and twenty five towns have been heard from. From these, a large Republican gain is shown, and twelve towns were guined outright. The comparisions are with two years ago, when the Republicans benefitted by the political landslide. At that time the state wont Republican by 17,000. The committee claim that yesterday's election indicates a Republican majority in Novomber of not less than 35,000

The Haction in Pletida.

Jacksonville, FL, Oct. 6 - The state weather is clear Four tickets are in the field in this county. There is no doubt states where the legislatures are to be permitted to come into the court room feit as to the election of the entire. Democratic state ticket. The only question that and concede as twenty cight. Everybody 1 aders are concerned about being how large the majority will be The Demoerats claim a plurality of 29,000. The

> Bryan Agair Insades Indiana. Louisville, Ky., Oct. 6,-Bryan arrived here at 7 o'clock from Nashville He was met by Governor Matthews and the Indi ans recention committee. After break his first speech at Jeffersonville.

A portion of the address was devoted edo us only one. That is absurd. We to a comparison between Jefferson and propose to have five out of the six sure. Bryan and the similarity of terms used by and if gains toward us continue as at his opponents against the father of the present throughout the month, No. Democratic party to those used now braska's delegation will all be on our against the silver men. He said the bankide. In Indiana they concede us four ers opposed Jefferson because those enjoy and claim nine. If they just reverse ing special privileges always opposed the those figures they will be nearer correct | people who attempt to take those special the state or to intimidate their employes He declared a restoration of bimetallism would not hunt any legitemate husiness, hut would help it.

> Bitton by a Rattlesnake Guthrio, Okla. Oct 6 -- A traveling variety troups from Chicago, calling themselves the Solbert family, have been fangs in his arm, and he screamed with terror, dropping it upon the floor and crewhisky, and physicians called but he suffered terrible agony for twenty-four hours and is still in a dangerous condition, with

one side of his body badly swellen and

turning blue

McKinter's Figures in New Jersey Trenton, N., J., Oct. 6 - The Republican state committee held an important and ted a still for some time before it injuries. It seems that he had mot by conference here yesterday with the chair-The finally radical by revenue officers, appointment a discarded sweetheart, and men of the different county committees and the verific within arrested. Their when about to part for the night she ask, throughout the state. The reports were most onthusiastically received, except in and Salin I alen It seems that Miss might drop a charm upon it. He did so, one or two instances, and Secretary John Filler 234 har I am a sample of the when she grasped it and tore it from his Y Foster said that a calculation of the which the had distilled It was so mouth She then fled, and the police conservative reports showed that McKinley and Hobart will carry the state by over 46,000 The exceptions were in Salem and Cumberland countles, where the county chairmen report there is considerable silver sentiment among the Repub-

The Florida Cyclone

Gualajara, Oct 6 .-- Advices from Mazmany others are missing. The damage to shipping is believed to be very great. They Still Visit McKinley.

Canton, Ohio, Oct. 6,-Two coach loads och ind W dire-day, cooler tonight; congress in the Third and Fourth dis-respects to McKinley who addressed them from his front porch.

QUARREL IN THE BRYAN CAMP

Trouble at Thicag: -Congressman Rich-ardson Quits His Job and Goes Home. Chicago, Oct. 6,-Congressman James D. Richardson, chief of the literary bureau of the Democratic national haddenstors, has given up his job and returned to his Tonnessee home. There are several stories to account for this action. One is that Mr. Richardson wishes to make sure of his acturn to congress by gress. They claim 185 free silver votes, THEY INDICATE 25,000 IN NOVEMBER stumping his district. Another exputnation is that he and Chairman Jones have not been on the best of terms since Mr. Richardson and Mr. Harrett prepared a table of probable election results last week, in which they placed Illinois in the list of doubtful states. The Republicans made considerable capital out of this admission, and Chairman Jones, it is said, became inconsed and raked. Congressman Richardson and Mr. Barrett over the coals, criticising them for not claiming overything. This inconsed Richardson who thinks he is as important in Domoratic affairs as Sonator Jones, and conluded to leave the latter and Mr. Bryan to their fate and look out for himself. No one at Democratic headquarters knows or will tell why Mr. Richardson deserted them, or whother he will return or not That he is gone for good, however, is apparent, for Edward Barrett has

> has no show for success, and prefers to get out from under before the general they don't know a thing about it ctash. The Republians declare the Democratic national committee has given election is passing off quietly in this city up the idea of electing a president, and is with indications of a large vote. The new scheming to return a free silver macleeted show that sound money legislatures are comoded in most of them, and will probably tail to agree, and in that Kt gman &C. in others there will be safe Republican

been placed in charge of the bureau.

Still another explanation is that Mr.

There are twenty nine senators to take the outh of office next March, Six of these have been elected, three are conceded to the Democrats, and of the remaining twenty the Republicans will elect more than a dozon sure and have excellent chances for half of the remainder. The Domocrats, however, think it worth more for the cause of silver to fight for these

POLITICAL MURDER.

It is Charged that the Mander of Hepburg in Ankansas Was the Result of a Political Conspiracy.

Washington, Oct. 6,--Chairman Bah cock, of the Republican congressional committee, received a letter from Chester privileges away from them. He said he Aik, where Frank Hepfurn, the son of heard in some of the cities in Indiana Congressmen Hopburn, of Iowa was kilthat employers had notified their employes lied in an affected duck some time ago, to they would not open up business if Bryan the effect that the killing was the result was elected. He said upon examination of a political conspiracy, that many of the nation's charter these coprorations friends of Bill Sims, who killed Hepburn, are not authorized to run the politics of were aware of what was going to happen, vet did not warn Henburn Sims was arrested and held for manslaughter, but later was released on \$1000 bonds, and fined \$50 for carrying a pistol.

Chairman Green's Prophecy

Doulson, Texas, Oct 6 - k H. R. Green, chairman of the Republican state committee, was here yesterday evening. Speaking of the political situation in Will will rester Upon the state that the chapter favor a solid and took a large rattler, kept there is a Why I think that Texas is as certain to go the Russian embassy the ezar delegation for us Maryland is certain to cage, out of its quarters to show the for McKinley as the election is to be held, The social is substituted and deeply give us three members and probably crowd how he could charm it. The replace in fact, I know it will. I am going to tile, quicker than a flash, fastened its Dalias, and from now until the 3rd of November I will devote my time arduously to the work in hand. I think our prosprots are all that could be desired.'

Kansas City's Caralyal Week. Kwen Karnaiton attended by a gorgeous retinue arrived in the city this morning, and formally opened the city's great annual carnival week. They were to have arrived last evening, but rain prevented. After the parade, through the principal streets, the recention to the king and queen was held and the key of the city was delivered to them. The city is

Ladies' Day in Iowa. Burlington, Yown, Oct 6 -This is woman's day in the state semi-centennial and it was introduced with an industrial parade, participated in by the wholesele and retail firms, manufacturers etc. A great throng, mostly tadies, assembled in the Auditorium this afternoon and listened to addresses and recitations by prominont Iowa ladies.

growded with visitors.

Presbytarian Jubilea Service. Lincoln, Ill., Oct. 6 -Thirty years ago yesterday the First Presbyterian church this city was organized. An imextent confersion by allowing them noth. Villages were washed away. Over one mease jubilee service in colebration of this important event in the history of the general united.

> Bryan Witi Speak In Iowa, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Oot. 6 .- Candid . ate Bryan will speak here I hursday after

NO VERDICT YET.

The Jury in the Myors Murder Case Still Voting One

CHANCES GOOD FOR DISAGREEMENT.

Members of the Jury Wanted to Talk to the Judge-Didn't Get Accom- . modated - Waiting, Waiting.

The jury in the J. W. Myers murder case is still locked up in the little room on the third floor of the court house wait ing for Judge Vall to get weary, so that they can file into the big room and revise their discharge. There has been no change in the judgment of the members of the O Powers jury since they retired last night after receiving instructions. They split on the question of guilt or innocence on the first ballot and there has been no hope or pros F. Bement & Son pert of a change slace the first ballot A D. M. Perry & Co..... ballot is taken every hour with the same 1. W. Waiker & Luiz Co... Richardson is convinced that Mr. Biyan result. Some say 8 to 4 for acquital, some say an equal division, and some say O F Douglass

This forencen some of the jurymen Plant Seed Co wanted to have a talk with the court. A Miller Co. Readacket Mig Co. Judgo Vail learned that the question was W D Allen & Co on a point that had already been covered jority to congress. Reports from the in the instructions and the jury was not

> At this writing it appears that the jury case after Judge Vall is satisfied that an agreement cannot be reached the jury will be discharged, and Myers iomanded to jail to await another trial on the charge of killing Hackman. The court will de dde whether or not Myers should to admitted to ball

Burgiary Case. William Jones and Frank Brown, ar rested at Macon for hurgiary committed in Decatur, are on trial by jury. Attor delense and State's Attorney Mills for the

prosecution Killed by a Crazy Soldier

St Augustine, Fla , Oct 6 .- Pilvate Emory Jones, Battery 11, 3d United States rtillery, shot and fatally wounded James Wildman yesterday afternoon As Weidman was crossing. King street Jones approached threw his left arm about Weidman's neck and sent a pictof ball la two more shots, one taking offect in the prostrate man's right thigh. Wednan vas out on ball for killing Joseph Aller two weeks ago, and was shot down with In twenty saids of the spot where Allen vas killed. Jones has been regarded as razy by the soldiers. Two weeks ago be took his riflo and paraded the streets, ter rifving every one. Jones is in juil,

Beath of George W. Schroll George W. Schroll, of Hickory Point ownship, died of kidney and brain troucame to this state with his parents at an able. He retired from farming about two years ago and has since lived quietly at his home near Forsyth. The funeral Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 6 -Kinkiki and will be held at Fairview church this afternoon and the burial will be at Boiling

Wedding at Maroa.

The marriage of Charles H. Blair, a Anna Laura Smith, was selemnized Oct at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H B Smith, at Maron, by Rev G C Hanna, of the Presbyterian church. The wedding march was played by Miss Mabel Roberts, of Decatur. There were many guests present. A fine wedding re past was served. The couple left for St. Louis and Kansas City last night. Bryan in Illinois.

Candidate Bryan is to make a tour of Illinois cities beginning Oct. 21 He will be in the state four days, speaking Ferber, John Young and others. at Joliet, Elgin, Rockford, Freeport Kewanee, Monmouth, Quincy, Jacksonsonville, Peoria, Bloomington, Decatur,

Danville, Alton and Cairo. No one yet

knowa on what day Bryan will strike

Decatur, or how long he will stay. Battle Among the Chostaws. Kansas City, Mo , Ocs. 6 .- Unconchurch was held, in which the members firmed report from Guthrie, Okla., says a of the various churches and citizens in bloody battle between full breeds and morning and were taken to the home of squaw men in the Choctaw country on Mrs. Cullen's father, Fred Witt, No 5.21

and their white husbands were killed.

Edward P. Hall, of Champaign, has nuon There are already assurances of an just received a patent on a mandolin. A natural shell is employed for a bowl.

VOLUNTARY ASSIGNMENT.

The Property of George S. Durfee & Bra Turned Over to the Craditors of the Firm.

In the county court this forenoon assignment papers were filled by George S. Durfee & Bro, 's agricultural implement dealers in Powers' block. The assigned is James M Hughes The assets foot \$9370 21 the Babilities, \$9894 14 The failure is due to the general depression in business blow collections precipitated the assignment.

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\$2,000.00 One share of stock in Docatur club Bills receivable Potat 20, 170 21 Linbilities. J. M. Hughes

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\$0,694 14 BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

Reception and Presentations at the flower of William Ramsher,

There was a large and congenial comcany of neighbors and friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs William Hamsher, No 1606 East Main street, just night to twenty senators than to continue the bat | negs Wilson and Beggess appear for the accept the hospitality of the family 16 was the occasion of the calebration of the 72nd Idrihday anniversary of Mr Hamsher whose personal friends are legion. Mr Hamsher was born in Franklin county, Pennsylvania, and came to Decatur in 1858. The guests last night filled the large residence, and all bad a merry time singing patriotic souge and engag ing in partor games. Several valuable mementoes were presented to Mi Ham sicr who was taken wholly by simprise. He received a handsome came from comrades of Dunham Post, 141 G. A R., a fine easy chair from sowing circle of the Woman's Relief Corps, a gold watch chain from Mrs John Wilson, Mrs John Gourly and Oscar Elliott, a fine silk throw for the chair from Mr. and Mrs. Landis, and a china can and some or from Mr and Mrs Prederick Ferber The pleased recipient was quite overcome and was just able to express his thanks

Mr and Mrs. Hamsber entertained their guests handsomely Delleions refreshble Monday, aged 69 years The deceased monts were served in generous quantity The state of the phase of the p been born there on August 36, 1837 He with many good wishes for the host and hostess of the evening. The guests were early day and has since been a resident of Commander I N. Martin, of Dunham Macon county. Mt. Schroll settled near Post, Mrs. Effic R. Kennedy, president of Forsyth and cleared up a large tract of the Weman's Relief Corps, Norman Prinand which afterwards became very value glo and wife, G. R. Steele and wife, T. J. Apel and wife, Jacob Miller and wife, i). Landis and wife, B. H Johnson and wife, Herry J. Abbridge and wife, W. W. Brown and wife, L. D. Goolsby and wife, Charles Hopping and wife, Andrew Milher and wife. Martin Davis and wife, Thomas Pettyjohn and wife, Ed G. Alien and wife, Mrs. T B. Spalding, Mrs. ousiness man at Lyons, Kan., and Miss James Simeral, Mrs. Coblentz of Ft. Wayne, Ind . Mr and Mrs. George Brott, Mrs Berno, Mrs Mary C. Pools, Anna Gardner, Amanda Shilling, Mrs. E. B. Landis, Bertha Jones, John Dellinger and wife, Mary Dellinger, Mrs T D. Shay, Mrs. J W. Clymer, Mrs. Myra Hatch. Mrs. Sarah Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oweng, Mrs. Amos Glatfelter, Mrs. Jonnie Gourley, Oscar Eiliett, Mary Wilson, Miss Mamie Woods of Kansas City, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Shep Korns, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Sheeby, Mr and Mrs Frederick

> Death of John Cullen. John Cullen, formerly of this city, died yesterday aftermoon at the asylum at Kankakee, aged 35 years. He scaves a wife in this city and two sisters, Miss Cullen, of this city and Miss Mary Cullen of Cleveland Ohio, also one brother, Will Cullen, of Chicago. The remains were brought to this city by James Moran this Horse Creek, in which several squaws North Lowher street. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock at St. Patrick's church

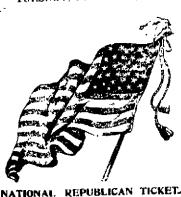
> > The Piatt county grand jury brought in twenty indictments.

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Clerk of the Northern Grand Division, Supreme Court. Chris Mam Glerk of the Central Grand Division, Supreme Court. A. A. Cadwallader Clerk of the Southern Grand Division, Olerk of the Second Judicial District,
Appellate Court. C. C. Duffy Olerk of the Appellate Court.

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W. C. Hibbard Appellate Court

Clerk of the Fourth Judicial District.

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CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

For Congress.

JAMES A. CONNOLLY
For Menther State of Board Equalization
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II. N. SCHUYLER 17th District. REPRESENTATIVES,

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COUNTY TICKET.

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WANTED - Work by millions of unemployed Americans, thrown out of employment by millions of workmen in other countries, whose product comes here under the Wilson bill, and who buy what they eat from farmers from their own countries, and what they wear and use in furnishing their homes from foreign merchants. These American workmen are out of work, and many of them out of money, too. With the McKinley times of 1892 back again, employment is guaranteed. But they want work now, and want it badly. Payment in any money of the United States government today, silver, paper, or gold, 100 cents to every doliar, will be entirely satisfactory.

AMERICA FOR AMERICANS.

Votors should not be deceived, the Demopopullata have abandoned all hope of they can to elect members of congres and members of the legislature who will vate for Papalist United States sounters

The Demopopulists complain that the sound money people are revelling in campaign funds. Well, assuming that that is true, it only argues that there are men who are willing to contribute money to a cause which is to prevent men who are misled by demagogues from voting calsuity upon themselves

McKinley's speeches are full of patriotism. He invites bls audiences to more faith in our Institutions and more devotion to the government of the people. because he is continually trying to agitate the people into a belief that their worst enomy is the government. This is the

Four weeks from totay between the will determine whether the government him. shall be boured or disbonest; whether it shall encourage bonesty or aid the eltizon in defrauding his creditors and thus diswhich was shed to make the government have no higher metive in castleg their buildes than to pay an house debt with it to remain as valuable as it is now. 50-cent deliars; no higher motive than to follow Altgeld in bis attack upon the prerogatives of the federal government and the courts; whether an aggregation of men calling themselves a party, that invited by its delaration to its support the individual political frauds and political inconditation of anarchy and socialism beretofore scattered about in third par tion; in short whether this government is

Daily Republican to be supported, which, when they have run out of available principles, are willing to eripple the government in order to get into power.

> Bryan and the Federal Judges. New York Sun: A speaker who lacks the courage to lie will often accomplish the same purpose by suggesting that which he knows to be false in fact. This process is what lawyers are accustomed falst Mr. Bryan availed himself of it on

the honesty of the supreme court of the inited States."

By this he plainly means to have his ndience understand that he himself had andlence understand that he himself had cover we may row more questioned the integrity of the saperome court, and that he was misrepresented by these who accused him of hese cities to that great tribunal and the cover we may row with the inch a here we've cleaned these scrap heaps up, we'll turn ourselves about and set the funaces ablaze and run the plet from ant.

His suggestion in this respect was false, and unless he has lost his memory be know that it was false.

Writing in the Omaha paper with which he was connected not very long since, he asserted that the members of the supreme court could not "escape the influence which is brought to bear upon them through their association with men violently opposed to the income tax for personal reasons.

That is to say, Mr. Bryan declared that he judges of the supreme court were influenced in passing upon the constitutionality of the income tax by considerations of a personal nature, having nothing to do with the merits of the case Judges that could thus be influenced would plainly be unfit for their places If Mr. Bryan's language was not an assault upon the integrity of the supreme ourt, what was it"

Again he wrote: "Plutocracy is inrenched behind our judicial system." Was this a compliment, or an arraignment of the federal judiclary generally as

It is pitiable and contemptable to find a presidential candidate endeavering thus to decrive the public in regard to his own position concorning one of the most in-

portant issues of the campaign. McKinley the Statesman, Bryan the Demagogue.

The Chicago Tribune: Byran sneers at McKinley for stating that "It is not more mency we want; what we want is to put the money we already have at work,' and asserts that what is needed is "more noney"-more things called dollars; whother they are worth a dollar he deems

The statement which is scoffed at is that of a statesman, while the scoffer talks vears ago, though there is just as much money in the country.

Why is there less in user Because noney is an instrument for transacting blood of commerce.-Cordage Trade business with. When less business is Journal. doing, when the volume of exchanges i roduced, fower of those instruments called dollars are needed, and those which are superfluous, for the time being ceaso, the results been as they are claimed by o circulate.

Why has the amount of business done ecreased during the last two years? Solev burnuse of Bryantsm. He and his marty have been consending for a debuse neat of the currency. That has kent men from using their money reproductively. They have doemed it unwise to invest in new enterprises which free coinage at the ratio of 16 to 1 would destroy r make um rold ibte.

They have been unwilling to lean their money when there was a possibility of olecting Bryan Nothing is being done their getting only one-half of it back, history of mankind, In that direction but they are doing what They have hesitated about solling goods on time when they might receive for those goods only half the cost of manufacture.

> The 'captains of industry," who are in he habit of berrowing menty to use in their various undertakings, have felt ne lesire to spread in re-sail when there was possibility of free coinage and a panic. They have taken in sall, and are using much less money than they did.

If there were twice as much money in the country as there is the state of affairs would not be hetter. There would be no more money in circulation, than now, for there would be no present use for more The volume of business transacted would not require more. The owners of the su-Bryan's speeches logically invitemen to perfluent money, being afraid to make rebellion against their own government use of it for fear of loss, would keep it out

Fewer looms are being run now than a year ago. Bus there would be no more cloth woven at this time if more looms were built and set up. What is reeded to to set at work the looms now idle, and bours of 7 o clock a m. and the hours of 7 that cannot be done as long as the manuarriack p. in the people of this nation facturer sees a possible panie ahead of

There is no need of more money to restore prosperity, and least of all is there need of the 50-cent stuff which Bryan courage dishonesty; whether the blood calls money. There is an abundance of money, which will be put at work the what it is shall be descrated by mon who moment it is known that Bryan and his robber gang are defeated and the money

> Many of your friends, or people whom ou know of, have conteneted consump-lon, preumonia or other fatal discuses by religeet of a simple cold or cough Foley's Honey and Tar, a sale sure and pleasunt cough medicine, would, have sived thom. It is guaranteed. Neisior's Drug & Supply company and N. L.

l'isher has twenty-two men and to endure or a better political parties are twelve teams at work on sidewalks.

We'll coin the silver we have got and all We'll coin the silver we have got and an that we can get.

We'll make the "dollar of our dads" a humaner, you can bet.

Some say 'twill bust the country, and the devil be to pay.
"In flod we trust" we'll stamp on it, such lick to keep away.

We're silveritts, says 1, says we, when all is a id and done.

And we'll coin the bloomin silver, boys,

At saxteen to one.

At sixteen to one

process is what lawyers are accustomed to denounce by the Latingterm suggestio fals. Mr. Bryan availed himself of it on Tuesday night at Tammany ball.

On that occasion he declared that there was nothing in the Chicago platform what as all the integrity or questions of the man when the man was a court of the man was a court of the man.

nake the man, And we'll coin our bloomda brass, my boys, At sixteen to one.

And with the Iron and steel we find wher-

we'll have some fun.
As we cain the bloomin pig fron, boys,

At mixteen to on And there is paper, too, my hoys, that may be made from rags.
So we may coin our tast off dudy and have some royal Jags
Of word pulp, too, is paper made, so we'll
our forests down

And into shady money make the tier of our town We're pulpullate or popullets, and if you

want some mun Well stamp the bloomin paper, boys, At sixteen to one.

With this, "sound money" talk we hear that now is going round.
We do agree at least we like the very name of sounds.
And so we'll spout and shout, my boys, to win the owner heads.

And flit them full of premises and words, words, words.
Int words are what, and so with wind, when all is said and done.
We'll liquidate our blooming bits.

At Fixteen to one

Mr. Bryan has claimed that the Icee coinage of silver would benefit the working people. How they would secure anything from the free comage of sil-

ver he does not say, perhaps because he does not know. It is certainly a deep mystery. In no way that the probable course of events can be for easted can any advantage for the working people be reasonably shown. Everything that a man buys for con-

sumption in the household would be raised in price. Would wages be increased in proportion? It is not probahio that you would for years, if ever As soon as it became apparent that the free coinage of silver would be undertaken prices would be advanced, but wages would remain stationary until employers could ascertain how they would be affected. With the heavy losses that many concerns would b compelled to meet through the payment of outstanding accounts and notes in depreciated doilars, it is very probable that the workingman would have to wait a long time for his wages to be raised. In the interval he would have ample opportunity to realize the stu-pendous folly of the United States coining salver dollars at the ratio of sixteen to one and debasing its money, the life-

Demonstization of Silver.

Silver was not demonstized by a conspiracy nor clandestinely; neither have the free silver men.

Silver was demonetized by Great Britain 400 years ago because it fluctuated, because two yardsticks of unequal length or two bushels of changing quantity is an absurdity, an ob-

All the civilized nations have tried the same experiment with the double a snare and have come to the single gold standard as a better thing.

more silver, has sounder money and lower interest than ever before in the

standard is reactionary, allogical and irrational and will not succeed. Revolutions go forward, not backward .-Madison (Ind.) Courier.

Bushels and Dollars.

A great proportion of the American people work for wages, salaries or other fixed incomes. Suppose these incomes were fixed in

bushels of grain—so many busicle of grain per day or per week. Suppose it had been the custom to

pay wages in wheat. Suppose a change was made to corn-

the number of bushels remaining the Would not this reduce wages by just

the difference between the value of wheat and corn?: Isn't this what would happen if we

changed from the present full dollar standard to a depreciated standard? Read bushels for dollars, and you have the whole argument in a nutshell.

Why should any workingman, any salaried person, anyone with a fixed income, rote for a cheaper dollar any more than he would vote to have his wages paid in a cheaper grain 9.-N. Y.

The Bargain Counter Candidate. "Some of the reports say that the

women went wild over Bryan at different places along his route," remarked the horse editor. "That's natural," replied the snake

editor. "He is the bargain counter candidate." How so?"

"He wants to mark the dollar down to 5.1 cents."-- Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph. If Thirty Pounds of Wheat Made a Bushel.

or implements with the proceeds of your erop than you do now? If 50 cents were a dollar, would your ops bring you any more of the things

that you need than you get now?

Would you have any more wheat, or

could you buy any more food, clothes

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In the County Court, Macon County, Hitnols.
In the matter of the estate of John W. Meichers and Theodoro O. Loveland, co-partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Metchers & Loveland, involvent doblors.
Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed assumee of Metchers & Loveland are Loveland, and all persons holding any chain or claims against said Metchers & Loveland are hereby notified to present the same to life under outlier of present the same to life under outlier or not. All persons including to said assignors are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

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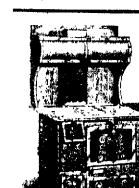
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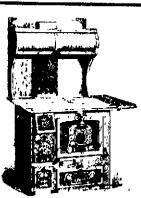
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LOCAL NEWS.

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Dr. H. P. Buchman, dentist rooms 7

and 9, in Tomple block. Plan to attend the Republican rally Phursday and night.

Hox paper sale at West's drug store, huif regular price.

by Jacob Keck.

Mama cats a Cascarot, baby gets the enefit. Cascarets make mother's milk The Grand Opera House cigars made

by Johnny Weigand are the best in town. meh 25-dif

Little Diana eiger; business men's deal smake; 5 for 10 cents; 100 for \$1.50. L. Chodat's News House, -11-dtf Damrow Brothers sell the famous Val

case. Please telephone 654. Hoke's fine box paper, all latest tints, now on sale at half regular prices. West's

Smoke the Little J., a fine hand made Sumatra wrapper—5 cent clgar.

And oh! Such fine large salt mackerel perfectly delicious. Pearl Oyster and Fish company, telephone 844.—5-d2t

Next Sunday Rev A. M. Danely will preach at Elwin at 10:30 a m., and at Blue Mound chapel at 8 p. m. What's the matter with you? Constipated? Cascarets will cure Eat them

B F Funk, of Bloomington, has bee elected a member of the state board of ag riculture for the Fourteenth district to

succeed E. E. Chester, of Champaign, Don't eat another meal without trying can of our cooked sauerkrant. Pearl Oyster and Eish company, telepohne 314

Just befeve going to bed cat a Cascaret

Four hundred and sixty hoxes at Hoke's

store at just half regular price. O, wonderful thing to sharpen the ap petite, Russian spiced sardines in bulk. Pearl Oyster and Fish company, telephone

Prescriptions and medicines delivered to any part of the city. Armstrong Hros druggists, corner North Main and William street Telephone 452 -- 27d-tf

Round up meeting of the Pinces of the Orient at K. P. hall tomorrow night Every Prince is expected to bring up a note is heard.

You will like the Haines upright pi and It has no superior. See it at the C. B. Prescott music house. The Read & Son's and other planes, are also on sale at Prescott's.

Quite a number of people from this city expect to attend the revival meetings in the M. E. church* at Mt. Zion Rev. A M Danely, the pastor, and Rev. A. Anthony, the evangelist, went out Monday

cutters had an altercation last week managed to get the best of the other fellow with a blow from a shovel. No one was seriously injured.

Roylval services began in the M. E. thurch at Mt Zion last Sunday Rev. W. E. Knight proached at 11 a. m. and the paster, Rev. A. M. Danely preached at 7 p. m. The services will be continued indefinitely. Rev. A. Anthony, the revivalist from Springfield, will be presont all the time to assist the pastor. There will be services every evening at 7 o'clock and on Wednesday and Friday at 2 p. m. Sunday the services will be held at 10:30 and 3 and 7 o'clock.

Rov. Clarence Reed, who was assigned to the Methodist church at Sullivan, was greeted upon his arrival by the members of the church. He was tendered a recuption Saturday evening in the church par-. lors which were crowded by members and friends who were eager to see and greet the new minister. At his first service on Sunday the auditorium of the new church was filled and Hev. Mr. Reed delivered a very interesting sermon on "Sowing and Reaping" At the evening service the house was crowded to overflowing. The church starts off with a fine prospect of greater growth and influence on a sound money basis.

A Valuable Prescription.

BRENNEMAN LOT.

COFFEES? The City Council Decides to Purchase It and Build a Fire House.

THE CENTRAL PARK SCHEME.

Aldermen Present a Plan to Secure a Deed for the Property and Build on It a City Hall -Other Business.

The question of property on which to build a fire house, and city hall was discussed again last evening at the meeting Smoke the Litle J., 5-cent cigar, made of the city council and a new plan was Control park as the place on which to the public library.

The committee to whom was referred the bids for property reported that none of the lots were sultable for the purpose The members of the committee believed that the prices of the lots offered should demonstrate beyond question to t' e coun oil that the Bronneman let has been offered very cheap and that that lot is Blatz Milwaukee bottled beer. Try a better adapted and located for the combined use of the firemen and police th n any other lot yet affered. The committee recommended the purchase of the Bren neman lot and that the city clerk draw o time warrant for \$4500 due in one year with 6 per cent interest in payment for same.

> The report was laid on the table until after the reading of the following resolu-

That a committee of three be appointed by the mayor to investigate and report to the city council at their earliest convenience the condition of the title to the Central park and whether such a title can be obtained to said park as will permit the city to use it for the erection and con struction of a city ball, central fire station and police headquarters. The resolution was signed by nine aldermen

Mr. Carter spoke on the question and said that he was in favor of the Himme man lot as the proper place for a fire ouse but that he was also in favor of the Central park plan for the city buildings, andy cathartle. Makes you feel fine in As a result the report of the committee was adopted and the resolution was also passed. The mayor appointed as the the stationery now on saio at West's drug | members of the committee to investigate the park matter, Aldermen Carter, Hankins and Simpson.

Illinois Central Agreement, D. H. Conklin submitted an agreement with the Illinois Central to connect culverts under their track with the bourth ward sewer. Mr. Hankins moved that the mayor and city clerk execute the agreement Carried

Petitions. A petition signed by most of the princlple physicians of the city was submit ted. They asked that an ordinance be rictim and be in his place when the bug! passed whereby all traveling doctors be charged a license of \$25 per day for practicing in the city. The matter was referted to the ordinance committee and the

ity attorney. William Dillebunt complained that property owned by him had been assessed too high. He asked that the matter be investigated. Referred to the finance.

W. Lake, poundmuster, asked that he be allowed 50 cents instead of 25 cents for each dog killed by him. Mr. Gagerty wanted the matter referred to the fluance committee and he made an amendment to Lindsey was struck by a neck yoke, but taken on the amendment Mr Gogerty was the only one who voted for it

Reports. The city treasurer made the following report for the mouth of Sentember: Butance due bank, Sept. 1, \$5779-14, total recelpts, \$20,483 28, including taxes to the amount of \$19,460, 19, warrants paid \$13. 249 40; balance on band \$1403 68 Re erred to the finance committee.

The engineer at the water works reported that 68,000,000 gallons of water had been pumped during the month and 128 tons of coal used The water inspector reported an expen

diture of \$224 52 for the month The street superintendent reported that \$134f 01 had been spent for various pur

The street and alley committee to when was referred the plat of Finn Bros.' addi tion reported adversely on the petition. The report was received and placed or

Sewer Blds.

evenue reported that H. S. Cebhart and Kincaid were the lowest bidders and had tied on their bids and requested that they The sale will take place on Thursday, mest at the office of the city clerk and draw lots for the contract. Mr Kincaid was present and made a few remarks. He This herd of Jerseys is one of the finest said that Mr. Gebhart and Mr. Hankins in the state, and this sale will afford an Editor Morrison, of Worthington, Ind.,
Sun writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can
cheerfully recommend it for constipation
and Sick Headache, and as a general systen tonic it has no equal." Mrs. Anna
Stelle, 2625 Cottage Grove Ave., Chi
cago, was all run nown, could not eat nor
digest food, had a backache which never
left her and felt tired and weary, but six
bottles of Electric Bitters restored her
bealth and strength. Price 50 cents and
\$1.00. Get a bottle at West's drug store

Sinu writes: "You have a valuable prescription in Electric Bitters, and I can
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to make olds he was ready to
choice milch cows. A credit of six
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Sale to commence at one o'clock.
Sept. 18-d&wid George Orien.

Shall It Be to to 17
Silver men say yes, gold men say no.
But all who have used it whether gold or
silver men concede that Foley's Honsy
and Tar Cough Syrup is superior to all
others as is 16 to 1. Neisier's Drug &
didn't know what he was talking about

but when Mr. Simpson investigated it was found that it was Mr. Hanking' report of the committee, that the tie bidders should east lots, was necepted.

About a Rebate.

The water and light committee recom mended that W. H. Bramble be given a rebate for a fine for violating the water ordinance. The report was accented,

The pay roll was allowed and a large bunch of bills ordered paid.

Ordinances, The clerk read an ordinance to the effect that boys and men shall not fly kites or play ball in any street or allers of the city. Ahrens and Montgomery were not in favor of pushing the matter but Mr. artists in the profession Hankine wanted it put through at once, The ordinance was placed upon its pass

The clerk rand the new ordinance for the paving of Maryland street. It are vides that the paving shall be twenty feet are you going to do? You must have wide and the center three inches below the paving line at the curb to make a introduced which was to endeavor to get gutter for the surface water. The ordinance was placed upon its passage. The west put yourself in the hands of the erect a building for the city offices and clerk was authorized to advertise for bids

Paving Estimate

The special committee presented a report on the cost of paving Maryland street, estimating the cost at \$1025.50 The estimate was accepted.

Slaughter House. The special committee reported that they were satisfied that the slaughter houses could be conducted within the limits without being a nuisance if the laws laid down by the city council were properly lived up to. The matter came up at the last meeting but was referred back to the committee. Mr. Hankins said he had talked with the butchers and found it was what they wanted. The report was adopted.

Resolutions.

That the sewer inspector be Instructed to at once rearrange the inlet as the inter- Grand next Friday evening. section of Herkimer streets so that it will carry off the surface water. Adopted,

That the city put in a fire alarm ses tem. Referred, Sidewalk Bid Albert Ammann offered to lay all the

sidewalks ordinancid, graded and remain ing unlaid for 5% cents, per somme foct, It was decided to give him the contract as

he was the only bidder,

Sunday at Baptist Church, At the Haptist church Sunday Rev D

R. MacGregor prouched both morning and evening to large congregations. The morning subject was, "Our Part in the Great Harmony " The paster said the system is the keynote of God's universe From the creation of man until sat in en tered the garden everything was in entirbarmony, after that time that which has been soothing became rasping and run with discord. Christ is the great repairor and can restors harmony to this lost would and He alone Without Him w cannot enter the heavenly harmons Without Him John on the Isle of Patme would never have beard the langels sing of the stry of God nor have seen the magnificence of the celestial city. With Oblist we can be victorious and join in the heavenly harmony — The organ's har mony depends upon the proper adjust ment of the pipes. Should one be displaced or broken no longer would the in strument produce harmony to our cars Each pipe plays its part and in its partic ular place. Each of us should be in ou place and playing our part in order tha the great harmony of life he complete The members of a band play each one of different part, the members of a quartet each sing a different part and when each should be in his place and performing in block. Telephone, old, 595 and that our lives he most peaceable tinct part; so must we in Christian work and service. In Christ, the individual is everything and we are called upon for in dividual work and proise. We can take es our friend not as our tuskinuster Our and everything first class Ladies' garservice should be through love not through fear. If we would rightly take part in the great barmony we must put life into our service. In order that the singer make his music the most harmonlous he must have an accompaniment We should take Christ as our accompaniment and the harmony will be complete,

The evening subject was, "The Law or Recoil" At this service Miss Clara Nolte, who is a musical matructor from Jacksonville, song a solo that was highly nonreciated and Prof. J. B. Johnson, leader of the Woodman band furnished a cor net solo that was well received by all present.

Public Sale of Thorough bred Jersey Cattle On account of the death of my wife The committee on the bias for 1 am compelled to close out my entire the sewer in the alley north of Leafland herd of Thoroughbred Jersey Cattle, which consists of about thirty head of milch cows, young beifers and bulls, October 8th, 1896, at the Decatur Trotting Association Park, north of the city.

Laugh! Laugh!! Laugh!!!

A delightfully jolly bit of nonsense is brother-in-law who was a hidder. The that successful farce comody "McSorley's Twine" which has forced its way into the front rank of popularity with surprising rapidity and comes to the Grand next Wednesday evening, Oct. 7. Frank Mer. ritt, the discorning manager, evidently understands what the public wants in the way of amusement and is fully competent to provide it for them. As a pot-pourri of witty dialogue, amusing complicatons, excellent singing, and sustained interest, "McSorley's Twins" is certainly a wonder. The company is headed by Ferguson and Emerick and the support includes some of the cleverest specialty

Shan Talk

You are always buying shoes. Shoe buying is a disagreeable business. It is expensive business as well. But what shors Now if all shore were attled it wouldn't matter where you bought your shoes. But they are not all allke, so you desiers as to quality and value, size, price and looks you can tell. That is all you can tell. Time must tell the rest. So your confidence is not in the shoes but in the dealers. Foliath and Hardy sign of the old cobbler - 8 d2t&w1t

Author of "Funt Mutl."

Lincoln J. Carter, the young Chicago an, author of the meledrama "The least Mail," is a remarkable young fellow, on the La Vinci pattern, in variety at accomplishment He wrote his own play-and it's a good one of its cass-heacts a principal part and does it well, he paints all his own scensry, constructs all his clabo rate mechanical effects and designs all the pictoral work used for advertising "The Fast Mail." Truly a bright young fellow, who creates his own career with out trampling over anybody else. At the

Meeting in the Seventh Ward. The Republican women of the Seventh

vard held a largely attended meeting yesorday atternoon at the home of Mrs. W W. Brown, 825 West Packard street. Mrs. T J Abol, the county chairman, was present to give an address and many he dles took part in the general discussion Mrs. W. W. Brown was elected chairman. or the Thirteenth district. Mrs. Sampel Hill, secretary. Mrs. Martin Davis chair man of the Fourteenth district. Miss Lizzie Whitehurst, secretary. The ladies of the Seventh ward will be at the polls on election day.

Dedication of Flags.

The German Aid society will dedicate their new stag on Wednesday, Oct 7 at the Turner hall. There will be a concert and ball by the members and their invied guests. The society will be ansisted by Goodman's band orchestra and Mr. James church choir Hon Charles A Ewing will deliver an address. Exercises commence at 7 15 p. m. Admission 25 cents

Danco 50 cents extra 3 d44 Special Velled Prophets' Train. The Wabush line will run a special train from Decatur to St. Louis, Tuesday, Oct 6 kaylug Decaturati the m. ar tiving to St. Louis at 5 40 p. m., return ing special train will leave St. Louis Union station at 11 p. m. One fare for the round trup Inquire of the Wabash

ticket agent for particulars - 1 did

Prof. Loonard's classes are now organ izing. Pupils wishing to enter are requested to meet at his academy, Armory hall, this evening at 7 30. Private lessons at any hour. Miss Marie's juvenile individual performs his part properly the classes incet every Saturday afternoon at result is entire harmony. Each of us 2 30. Office rooms 31 and 32 Temple

A Saving in Clothing.

not be discarded. Take them to Miller's Steam Dyo House, 145 N Main St. where they can be made as good as new at a trivial cost. Best steam dve works part in this great harmony by taking God in the west-skilled scouring, repairing ments given special care --29 diw

Pumpkin Pie Norial

A pumpkin pie social will be given this evening at the Edmund street chapel Refreshments consisting of numphin ple. ice cream, coffee, etc. will be served. A large attendance is desired as a very on joyable evening is assured to all

Republican Ward Meeting

The Republican ladies of the Third and Fourth precincts of the Second ward are requested to meet at the home of Mrs. Shockley, 208 West William street, Friday afternoon, Oct. 9, at 2:30, Mrs. Bobb. chairman of Third precinct -- 5 to

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POLITICAL MEETINGS.

Republican kailies to be Held in Decatur and Vicinity.

Below are the official dates of Republican meetings to be held in the near fu-

Night Meetings.

At Maron, Oct. 6-J. M. Clokey. At Casner. Oct. 7-J. H. O'Mara and E. S. McDonald.

At La Place, Oct. 7 W. F. Calbour At Blue Mound, Oct. 9 .- Captain J. M. Taylor and James Abrams.

At Oreans, Oct. 9-Hon, W. G. Coch

At Bearsdale, Oct. 9-W. F. Calhoun. At Mt. Zion, Oct. 10-A. McIntosh. At Niantie, Oct. 10-W. F Cathoun. At Macon, Oct. 10-Hon, W. G. Coch

ran and John Fitzgerald. At Harristown, Oct. 10-A H. Mills, W. N. Andrews

At Long Creek, Oct. 10-T. M. Hebart and George W. Soland. At norsyth, Oct. 10-James O'Mara

E. S. MoDonald. Hine Mound, Oct. 13- Major Connelly.

Warrensburg, Oct. 11-Major Connelly. At Casner, Oct 11 .-- A. E. Park, W. H. Hlack. Maron, Oct. 15. -- Major Connolly.

At Elwin, Oct. 15, afternoon, 2 o'clock - Major Connolly

Macon, Oct. 16-Major Connolly. At Ninntle, Oct. 17 .- Major Connelly.

At Long Creek, Oct. 17--Otto Adams the boy orator of Platt county

At Blue Mound, Oct. 20-A H. Mills C. W. Smith Afternoon.

At Boody, Oct. 13 Major Convolly. Meeting will be called to order at 2 o'eloek.

At Decatur, Oct. 8 Gen. Daniel E. Sickles and party.

The Effect on Business.

A gentleman representing a Chango firm received this orders from his house this morning "To metchants who put you off or want you to wait until after election, offer to take back fifty per cent of the goods after Nov. id, if Mc Kinley is not elected president. This you can offer to one and all, and we will live up to it, and in this way you can offset future business."

Ladies and children made dresses, cloaks and winter wraps nicely dyed, cleaned and pressed no ripping apart at Miller's Steam Dye House, 145 North Main street.

Republican Marching Club

Thursday, Oct.8, is the date for the big parade. Every Republican should be in uniform, coat and hat. Race Clothing visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boyd at Manufacturing Co. are headquarters for hats and costs. They have plenty of them. Get you sults and be in line for the big rally -6-d2t

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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Hog receipts 19,000; estimated 17,000. Market steady for light, strong for heavy and medium Light, \$2,056.3 .40, Mixed, \$2,056.3.40, Heavy, #9.900##1.00: Rough, #2.60###2.75.

RETIXATES FOR MONDAY.

Cattle receipts 5,500. Market steady

ST. LOUIS MARKET. ST. LOUIS, siet, 6,-Wheat, cash. No. 2, 804. 63%c; Dec., 71%c; Corn. cash. 21%, Dec., 21%; Oate, cash. 15%, May, 90%. NEW YORK MARKET.

NEW YORK, Oct. 6. Wheat, Dec., 71 h. Corn. Dec., 294. Oats, Hec., 224. NEW YORK, Oct. 4.-Butter, 756617; Hogs.

PEORIA QUOTATIONS. PROMIA, Oct. 6.—Corn, higher, No. 2 white, make: oats, stendy, No. 2, white, mob., Rye, nominal.

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THE BICKLES PARTY IN IOWA. PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL.

It Will Leave St. Louis Te-Morrow for 2

Tour in Himols. Ottumwa, Iowa, Oct. 6 - General Al-St. Joseph, Mo., this morning. A large crowd listened to speeches by these voter-

The Illinois Tour.

Louis. Mo., Oct. 6.-The train of the omorrow for a four days' speech-making trip through Illinois, in behalf of McKinley and Tunner, with rallies at a large number of points in the state from Cairo to Freeport, winding up at Chicago, where the party will be disbanded.

Tomorrow they go to Catro, stopping at Belleville, Coulterville, Pinckneyville, Duquoin, Carbondale and Anna. Thursday they go to Decutur, stopping at Mound City, Vieuna Harrisburg, Moeris City, Fairfield, Louisville, Altament and Pana. October 9th, the route will be to Freeport with stops at Clinten, Bleemingon, Minonk, Wenona, Lavalle, Mendeta, Amboy, Dixon and Polo. October 10, they go to Chicago, stopping at Pecatonca. Roefkord, Belivders, Morengo, Huntey Edgin and Wheaton.

FRIGHTENED BY AN ENGINE.

Mrs. J. C. Liens Was Thrown From Hor Stuggy and Received a Broken Leg.

Mrs. J. C. Liens, a lady who is known in the community for having treated successfully a large number of cases of diphtheris, met with an secident this afternoon at the Jasper street crossing of the Wabash tracks. She was driving in a buggy to go to see a sick person. At the pro-sing her horse freightened at a switch engine and turned suddenly, throwing Mrs. Liens from the vehicle and breaking her leg. The patrol wagen was called and weth was called to give her medical atten- has made itself left in his entomage. tion. It was reported at first that the lady had been killed.

PERSONAL MENTION.

A. Kaufman is in Champaign on a

Daniel Moore and daughter left last

ught on a trip to Nobraska. Miss Julia Nicholson has gone to

Springfield to visit friends. Editor Grady, of the Maroa Times

was in the city yesterday Dr. A. L. Coluns was in Harristown

yesterday, on professional business. H. C. Anthony left this morning for St. Louis to attend the exposition.

Mrs. Mary Brown is at Voorbies Sta tion visiting her sister, Mrs. Reardon.

Misses Anna and Margaret Roberts have returned home from Charleston where they have been visiting friends. James Keefe, who has been in New

York state on a business and recreation trip, arrived home last night. Mrs. A. F. Wilson and Mrs. Harry E. Hamsher are visiting friends in Ed-

wardsville, St. Louis and Alton. Miss Lida Montgomery, who has been

Omaha, Neb., has returned home.

Mrs. R. L. Walston left today for Springfield where she will attend the meeting of the Federation of Woman's

Mrs. Robert Faries and Mrs. A. W. Conklin have gone to St. Louis to visit Mrs. L. P. Walbridge and attend the exposition. Dr. E. W. Moore left last night for

have charge of his practice during his J. Edward Saxton arrived home this

morning from Terro flaute where he has been since Saturday. Mrs. Saxton will remain in Terre Haute for a few days more. Her brother, who has been dan-gerously ill, is improving. Miss Lids Montgomery arrived home

this morning from Omaha, Neb., where she has been visiting her sunt for the past six weeks. She was accompanied from St. Louie by her father, Alderman R. R. Montgomery, who went to that city last night, Ex-Gos, Flower Coming

The scores of Decatur sound money

Democrats are considerably elated today over the reception of the news that Ex-Gov. Roswell P. Flower, of New York, will visit Decatur within a few weeks and address a sound money preeting. He will deliver three speeches in Illinois at Ottawa, Decatur and Rock Island. Then he will go to Iowa. The Decatur Sound Money club will get up a big demonstration for Mr. Flower and honest money.

A Surprise Party.

Last ovening a surprise party was given to Orpha Wallace at his home at No. 225 East Bradford street. The affair was to celebrate his twenty eighth birthday. About thirty of his friends gathered at his home and passed a pleasant evening.

The Woman's Progressive Reading club will hold its first meeting for the winter season at the residence of Miss Ella Dempsey, 245 West North street, Wednesday, Oct. 7. The club will make the study of civil government its chief work for the coming year.

Bleths,

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. George Litz of No. 1171 West Green street, on October 6-s son.

Born-To Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hanks living four miles west of the city, on October 6-a daughter.

-George Whitefield, the Methodist orator, offered as an inducement to the lady to whom he proposed that she ger's train load of generals arrived from He had lately established an orphan asylum.

-Lady Georgianus Grey, aunt of Earl ans. General Stuart made an appeal for Grey, is nearly a hundred years of age, the re election of Congressman Lacey, of but though she is not very brisk upon this district. Thotrain left at 8:80 for her legs, manages to keep informed on politics and the talk of the day by hav ing guests to dinner almost every night.

-Miss Virginia Fair has forsaken her bicycle and is learning to ride horseampaigning generals will leave St. Louis back, and inasmuch as this young woman is an acknowledged leader there is a probability of other Newport young girls forsaking the wheel and taking to the horse.

-The princess of Wales, who was brought up in the most democratic fashion by the sensible Danish king, has found that actually milking cows at Sandringham and superintending the dairy give her better health than all the medicines of the court physician.

-The late Lord Lilford, in his recently published work on the birds of Northamptonshire, England, fells this story of a singular incident which occurred in one of his frequent visits to Spain: "I first learned," he says, "the news of Cresident Abraham Lincoln's murder from a serap of Spanish newspaper found in a nest of the kite by my climber, Agapo, near Aranjuez."

- The fourth Sir Robert Peel, though only 28 years of age, bads fore to maintain the family reputation for oratory. His recent speeches in the Tamworth district evince conspicuous ability. Just now help but v renovating Drayton Manor, the ancestral mansion of the Peels in Staffordshire, which is one of the most magnificent of the stately halls of England.

-- The bliedive of i gypt will not be in position to visit Lighted this year, but desires to accept the instruction for next year. There is no doubt that the khedive has been much less susceptible of late to the attempts to capture his ympathics and influence on behalf of she was taken to her home at the corner the French and other continental interof Condit and Jaspar streets. Dr Chono-ests. Gradually edistinel English Las

- William the Conqueror fell in love with Matilda, the daughter of a Preach nobleman. She refused him, whereupon he lay in wait, and one day when she was riding, pulled her off her horse and beat her with a stick. The act won her admiration, she immediately concluded that he must be a very brave Peter Brouck went to St. Louis this knight to give her a thrushing in sight d her father's easile, and a few months later married him.

STORIES ABOUT BURGLARS.

Dangers Arising from the Reckless back

of Pircurms, Eurglar stories are rife nowadays There are a hundred experiences of bur-clars or would-be burglars for every obliety, and those are numerous. One of these is a true story and of a double tragedy. It is a story of the rash use of fluencies. It was a young man who discovered the burglar. He heard first a slight noise outside the house, was sure he heard steps, and, looking out, saw a light. He armed at the light as be took his revolver and fired. There was no further noise and he went to sleep, outent that he had frightened away the buigher if there had been one. In tie morning it was found that his recolver had done good execution. A man heavily armed and well supplied with unglars' tools, was found dead outside the house door. It was a great shock to the man who had killed him. He had killed a human being in cold blood, and he was inconsolable. He was a fine oning fellow, with a life of great promse before him. It was in van that his alemis endervored to console him by aying that the man was evidently desperate and other lives might have been aken if he had been allowed to carry out his plans. But the murderer, as he Cleburn, Tex., where he will visit his considered himself, was not to be com-daughter. Dr. Charles M. Wood will forted. He became the victim of a setconsidered himself, was not to be comtled melancholy, and before the end of the year he had succumbed to his feel-

Another story has a comic side. She ons a nice old lady, who never missed an opportunity to laud the virtues of her departed spouse. A friend, seeing a heavy cane standing at the head of her bed one day, remarked upon it. 'Yes," said the widow, "James always kept it there in case of burglars. Junes was very brave. Why, I remember one night we heard a noise in the house end we thought burgiers might be round. James got up"- the visitor lisened, cold chills, in anticipation of a thrilling story, creeing up and down the spine-"James got up," went on the lory teller, "and slammed our bedroom door as hard as he could and locked it."--N. Y. Times.

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	New \$20.00 Winter Jackets, extra material, new sleeves, new front, new collar, black, navy and green, for this sale	12.00

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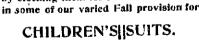


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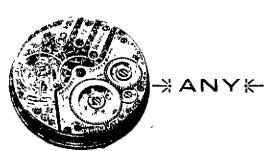
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CLOSE OF THE MURDER TRIAL gan with the pocketbook and followed BUSINESS MEN AGAINST POKER. GRAND OPERA HOUSE. The Jury dot the Case at 9:30 Last Night had been offered as evidence in the case. Concluding Arguments.

The trial of Joseph Myers, charged with the murder of August Hackman, the next lawyer to take up the argument side issue, is becoming a factor in busiafternoon, the closing appropriate ways is known in the country of the most important of the country of the countr came to a close is t night. restormy perce we jury. The said in party ness affairs, and as competition in trade afternoon the closing arugments were is true that his case is one of the most in becomes closer and strict economy continued and as the attorneys had not portant in the listory of Macon county more essential to success it will stendily finished by Co'clock a session was held in the evening The court room was crowded with pepole, many of whom were lagies. At about 9:80 o'clock the lawyers had finished and the case went to the jury. Myers kept up his coolness of manper to the end of the trial and seems to be

4Sc for the defense He said in part:
"The life of Augest Hackman up to the

with this case. Mr. Mills says he was a model young man. I do not doubt that yet it seems a little to the contrary when we find a murderous looking weapon on his body. We know the purpose for which he bought it and I don't think he was as good a citizen as Mr. Mills says he was. In the opening argument the prosecution says that Myers induced for the purpose of murder because he had money on his person. Hackman, com and did not let him know about it wher he wanted to go. There was no induce ment about that and Myer told him when he went out sagin he could go. Newton Warren, a witness for the prescention, tes man whom he rede into town with. He was never asked about it until two months after the occurrence Doubtless he never thought of the matter assecond time It is a sad fact, gentlemen, that there are too many saloons and gembling houses in of occumatances that marked August this town In one of these sales as Myers Hackman's career from the time he come got drank and in one of these places he so Decatar seeking tell. He painted a bought that watch which he pawned at Whites, which story has been corrobe rated throughout. Here the story ends until the budy was tound in the wonds east of town covered with loaves By that folled him to the ground. To make means of a paper in the picket a classical sure of his death he plunded and mutigotton as to the identity. It was discovored that he had stopped at the Engle ho tel and that he had been seen in the compuny of Myers Myers vouchsafed all the information that was gotten by the officers after this. He told them about Hack man, when he was last seen, where he was, what kind of clothes he wore offloors discovered that he had told the truth as to the trips into the country, vet thoy say he lied about it after his test; mony has been corroborated. Marshal points Bailiff Martin gathered up the Mason said he saw nothing in Myers' conduct that was suspicious. Here Myers Hackman, together with the instructions, would have begun to cover un his tracks | and lead the jury into their 100m where and get out of the country had he been they are to determine the innocence or guilty but he did not do so Milis says guilt of Joseph B. Myers he is the most cool, calculating secundred he ever met. He is a man of fair intelli-

spot where found in the night. The body was found just on the rise of a little hill in view of several houses. Now there were two deep ravines at the the case you must acquit there. No blood was found on his cloth ing when search was made in his trunk he got the watch from Gigham in a saloon and sticks to this all the way through the fled in this case from Loug Creek town- the annals of the country some one not find it out? Ed Thayer watch transaction that Myers had

gence and what would you have him do' I want you to think about this Hack-

man may have been killed in the day time but his body may have been taken to the

In this watch story we have two against | juring himself one. Myers and Thayer against Gigham under interest taken in this case by some one to convict Myers. When money was needed in procuring evidence it was forth coming Take this and consider it along vith the Gigham story

In the opening of the case Mills talked the opening speech he forgot all about it in the meantime it had been exploded. Do you think a cool, calculating scoup drel as we are informed by the state's attorney would kill a man with a hammer and then hide it on a pile of rocks. The story is a fake and you cannot get a man to say that it is Myers' hammer I want to smak about the way the officers have treated the defendant. The law does not allow the officers to take a man, look him with this case " up and allow no one to see him. The law says in such a case he must be taken at once before a magistrate and give him a show for his liberty. Myers was not given a fair show as they would bave us nothing but answer questions was very much like you're damned if you do and you're damned if you don't. Satan in bis most healthy mind never worked up a more damnable scheme for a victim that the sweating process he was not through the sweating process. the sweating process he was put through.

Attorney Wilson, He followed Reamon for the prosecution and called the jury's attention to Hackman's life in Staunton from the time he was a boy and the good reputation that he bore among the people there. Beginning at the time when Hackman left Staunton he touched upon the princleal points of the marder case to its end, recalling certain fac a trat he desired to impress the jury with. His argument be- county poor farm.

Attorney Whitley.
James T. Whitley for the defence was

and a great repsponsibility is being placed in your hands. The cheracter of Myers stands paramount with that of Hackman, wit of paraphermalia has never been A man that goes abroad in the land with regarded as a sensible business transa pistol in his pecket is not the man that netion, and of late years has been put Mr. Mills would have you believe. He is under the ban of the law At present not so blooming and fair in my mind, no state in the union regards gambling Myers never walked the street carrying as legitumite, or gambling debts as col-mony of these officers does not hold togeth | bunk who plays poker, 'said a success er. Myers knew he was innocent or he ful finance; would have disposed of this property. "From a like this. We have created a doubt in seems to do any body any real good woor minds about the pocketbook and "No, this is not the principal objechave explained away other things and we tion to poker players as employes. As ak you to take it into consideration.

Take these acts, use intelligence and win all the time, and there seem to be easen, do not draw upon your bragina times when the most skillful lose right reason, do not draw upon your basgina tion and then if you think he is guilty along. They say luck deserts them ocsay that he shall hang by the neck until casionally, but it is only the profes-dead, and if not let him walk from this sional priver who stays out of the game court a free man.

Closing The Case

Judge W E. Nelson fintshed his argument before the jury at 8 o'clock and was followed by State's Attorney Mills who stress upon the skull of Hackman and But just as often he loses this, too, and dence at the close he made it a chain on cantiload has stoyd to outston property ing to that lonely and in the woods when Myers in an unsuspecting moment dealt. him the fearful blow with the hammer ist d the body and then dragged it to a place where it was concealed Mr. Millis then dilated upon the three weeks that followed the commission of the crime, during which time Myers revolted in debauchery and spent his ill gotten gains At the close Judge Vall read his in-

structions to the jury. The instructions were such as are usually given to a jury the acase where the evidence is circums stantial and were without personal points Balliff Martin gathered up the skull, hammers and all the pessessions of Hackman, together with the instructions, and lead the jury into their toom where they are to determine the innocence or guilt of Joseph B. Myers

Attorney Fitzgerald, for the process tion speke as follows

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The consequence of the consequence.

you think that crime must not be forreted and my thumb was crushed to a pulp

" Have we got to a place that men say that afficers who perform their duties acpiece and the details of the transaction cording to their oath, are the villains agree. A number of witnesses have testi- They say this is the vilest conspiracy in

has a hole in it. This man Roberts, tells testified on this stand that he remembered a straight story. Does his appearance on the stand impression that he was per-

"Souders turns up. Souders and Myers who is a tramp, liar and thief. Which had been associates Sonders had two story do you believe? There has been an hummers when they worked on the Bur rows place. Myers uses one of the frammers belonging to Soudors. He leaves me hammer when he leaves the Hurrows form. He identifies the hammer found, beyond dispute. Partier cannot say posia good deal about that hammer but in | (Ively whether the hammer Myers took iway was the one he put a hole in

"Redmon tires to make you telleve that Myers nover used a bammer, yet street ears, does it?"

Week gets on the stand himself and says "Well, I think it does. It isn't that I Wyers gets on the stand himself and says he had such a hammer at one time

"The other circumstances in the case and the fact that this hammer compares with the one he once owned and the three prints on the dead man's skull link him

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and waits for his lack to return. The nouprofessional planer becomes des perate, plunges and goes broke. If this does not break the spell and restore him to his right senses he hormade the cosing speach. He laid great lock that which he has already lost. in his desperation he may use his employer's money. He does not mean to steal it, but merely takes it to win back his losses, and yet his chauses of winting are no better than when he lost before. If he loses ag in he is liable to be found out. He may hush the matter op by go ting his frainds to make road the losses, and he is allowed to resign

"If he should not have friends willing to see him out, or if his family hasn's caough influence to keep the thing quet, he goes out in disgrace. But in any event his name go's on the list, which makes it very difficult for bine to reuse a position of trust, and these only are profitable " Pitts burgh Commercial Gazette

LASSOING REQUIRES SKILL.

Now there were two deep ravines at the flower to foot of the hill and doesn't it occur to A dozon circumstances connects Joseph rank around the horn of the saddle.

A dozon circumstances connects Joseph rank around the horn of the saddle. There was a jerk, the steer went down. I had, in taking a turn with the ristr around the horn, unwittingly got my thumb between the rope and the pommel. When it tightened I lost my

thumb "When a cowboy holds a loop in his right hand, ready to throw, his thund, ship that Myers had a good reputation "The first story a man tells and the is pointing from him. After the throw and that his conduct was always that of first impression he has is liable to be it is natural for him to let the right a good oltizen. Do you believe a man community and believe that they say he is and be the ruscal that they say he is and believe in the first impression ne can be in a fight of the man following the first interest in the tempt to wind it around the saddle horn in that way it is ten to one that he will get his thumb tangled up as

After the throw he has to let pu of the custs entirely scize it again, and as he winds it around the suddle horn let it slip through his hand from his thumb toward his little finger. Just recollect that and it may save you u thumb "- San Francisco Post.

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became bankers and brokers, and the

ign they adopted was based on the pills.

it was necessary that the pills should

premises of every pawnbroker to-day.

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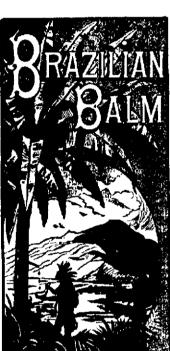
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It needs but a small amount of common sense to see that, if the carpets must continue—a thing greatly to be deprecated—they should be rubbed with a damp cloth rather than brushed and that, if, in deference to prejudice, they must be brushed, this should be done by a covered American sweep with plenty of damp tea leaves. Of all ways of removing dirt from a carpet the worst is by the use of the ordinary short brash, which in olves the housemaid kneeling down in the midst of the dust, which she so needlessly creati and drawing it into Ler lungs with every breath. For ordinary household use something like linoleum-something which can be washed with a wet cloth every morning-would seem to be the best-covering for floors. But, if our pets must be, and if it is impossible to teach the present generation the evils of seeking present comfort at the ex pense of future risks, at least let us remember that carpets may be washed even where they lie-that, till the day of washing comes, a closed sweeper is far better than a brush, and that the wors't form of brush is one with a : hort handle.-N. Y. Ledger.

A Cream Soup.

Which has for its foundation a good stock and boiled or scalded milk find little comfort in the investigation is easy to digest. Even simply if they did. The pawnbroker's symbol—thickened milk makes an excellent came from the sign used by the Lom-spring soup, because it is stimulating spring soup, because it is stimulating bard bankers, who took it from the sign and southing, without in the least burused by the Medici family of Florence. dening the digestive powers. This prep-The founder of the house had been a gration in Prance often takes the place medicus, or physician; his descendants of a soup. It should be a perfect cream just thick enough to coat the spoo dipped in it. Mix two tablespoonfuls of that were dispensed by their ancestors, the best pastry flour with a part of As they had become rich in their calling, milk, adding the milk slowly to preven lumps. Stir in another part of mills express something more than the mere. Pour the whole rate a Paritan boiler decoctions of a physician, so they were and when the water boils in the outer done in gold and in that shape the three kettle stir the thickened milk for test "pills" can be seen swinging over the minutes. Season it with salt. Some cooks also add a dessertspoonful of sugar. This soup may be made heavier by adding a "lini son" of the yolks of two family, who became nobles, but it is eggs beaten with helf a cup of milk and not probable that any family of noble stirred into the thickened milk by debirth and up-to-date ideas has continued grees. Do not let the soup cook any the use of the three balls as its heraldic longer, but add a tablespoonful of but ter, stir well and pour it at once into the tureen over a cupful of little squares of LAUNDERING SILK VESTS.

Suggestion for Renovating Delicate Handkorchiefs and blik Parasols.

The very popular blazer suits when not worn with a regular shirt waist often have only wash or china silk fronts as a finish, particularly if the saits themselves are of cotton or linea duck, or grass linen, and as these soil quite quickly they need frequent laundering in order to preserve the desired daintiness of uppearance. Too often, however, they are ruined by careless washing and ironing, and are useless thereafter.

A very simple and pretty front is of the public health, while the white on made of wash silk, curved out of the the poles stood for the white bandage throat tines and basted on a stiff colwith which the wound was bound up Jar. about which a ribbon is tied, finishafter the clumsy operator had drawn the ing in a bow at the back. The silk is prescribed anautity of red flyid.--Sc. long enough to hang a little full at the waist, a thread is run about two inches from the bottom, drawing the fullness All that has been seen of Menelels into the front, and this is tucked under during the last year has indicated that the band of the skirt and held firmly he is a superior order of man. His be- in place by the belt of leather or ribbon havior to the beleaguered and helpless. To launder this all that is necessary is Italian garrison in Makaleh some to rip it off the collar, let out the draw-weeks ago exhibited a conception of ing thread, wash it thoroughly in warm chivalry almost too lefty for the com- soan suds, riuse in cold water, and while prehension of more Europeans. He not still very wet pin it, stretched tightly, only suffered this garrison to march on a lapboard or any smooth surface. out with the honors of war, but actuae. When dry it will be as free from ly furnished it with a protecting es- wrinkles as if ironed and as soft as cort in its long journey to join the main new silk. It is a great mistake ever to Its flan force, and when some of his iron thin silk as if flone when damp, it tribesmen, resenting this generosity, becomes as crackly as paper, while if tried to attack the released prisoners, allowed to partly dry first it is almost be had them shot down without mercy. impossible to entirely remove the rough This incident by itself might prodry appearance unless a very hot iron nothing more than an quaint or is used, in which case there is danger of centricity of character. But Men-scorching. Hot irons are not always seems also a, born com- convenient things to obtain when not in one's own home, and a knowledge of how to obtain satisfactory results withmander of men and captain of battles. Within six years he has created. and organized an empire where only out them is not to be ignored. chaos or tribalism existed before and

Delicate handkerchiefs, if carefully washed, and while very wet spread on a has brought together and equipped, larly with modern weapons of precimirror or window pane and left there till perfectly dry, will look as though beautifully ironed. ion, a formidable army.—London Sat-

Chamois gloves should be washed on the hands, all the seams pushed into The small eigar cutters generally their right places, and the gloves partly seen in tobacco stores seem to exercise dried with a soft towel before being gently removed, stretched as when new It seems that few people can stand near and left to complete the process in the one of these machines without playing fresh air. Before wearing they should with it, and sometimes there is a finger be rubbed slightly to take away the stiffness, which is characteristic of chamois after being wet.

which to obviate this danger. A small sign upon the reads: "For Figure, Not Finge. — Detroit Free A good scheme for freshening the ap-pearance of white silk parasols, or any silk that will stand water, is to we them thoroughly all over, open them and let them remain so until dry. All Friend-You really ought to try to eep your hair in better shape. You wrinkles are done away with and instead of a mussy, half-worn-looking ar-Young Husband-How can I? We ticle one basan apparently new parasol, once but one mirror at home, and my with all the beauty of its pristine white wife occupies it all day long.—Texas ness restored.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

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igg and hing it up on a fine wire bar I sampin into caves. Then give each egg a like number of turns and let them sofn away It will 1 if thing about the co-turn rapidly first mone direction then 1 in 11 of which was a nanother, repeating the same several The Misairma ur times Therawegg A, will turn around training about us, only twice or there, and then remain the tirelessly for the in repose. The reason for this differrip i surrounded ence in action lies in the fact that the cooked ogg forms a cor ipa it misse while

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A way still simpler than this can be the two eggs. Both eggs are turned rapidly on a plate. Whin placing the band on the egg to stop the rotation it will be found that the cooked egg will move no further, while the raw in there gunder the aggrestime sats not my motion as some as the hand is withdrawn, the icuson to be truly floating on a described those —bt Louis Republic

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Thrives in Colombia The Gordener's Chronicle gives nome the twinem maple. Ictails concerning a tree of Colombia the witeless of moon- which truly nearts the name v getable Attl gla with more of alumunder. This tree the Rhopala At our doorway adorate of the order Protescue pre if emplied and sents a remark this power of resistance.

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become more viried and picture sque Bullet Passing Through Glass.

Prof Boys has made a beautiful series * photographs of the Lee-Metford bul it as it pissed through a one-fourth · ch sheet of glass. A disk of glass, me half the dismeter of the bullet, which was 303 inch caliber, was cut out of the sheet by the air wave betore the bullet touched it. All around What has been sound to the bullet touched in an analysis was the hole thus made the glass was suched into nowder and driven back crushed into powder and driven back ward One picture shows the glass chinging to the bullet for some time discret on the after it had passed through, the disk I let we let to suit you, being driven on in front of the air wave the nuprove them at the point. Another photograph I on the made and showed the remainder of the glass sheet h h - ther in that way was intact after the bullet had passed is that it difference on for a distance of nine inches When ther the sheet of glass broke and fell

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In section of the day of September 1896
Dited this dith day of September 1896
HI NRY I BROWN Administrator
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EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

SEALED BIDS.

BLATE OF HILLNOIS (58)

Saturday, October 31st, 1896,

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Notice is horely given that I will as administrator of the estate of Andrew Wayts, deceases, at the north door of the court house in the City of Docator Macine county. Illinot at the hour of 100 of lock in the formen of fuesday the Unified day of November A. D. 1808. Set at public vendure to the highest blidter, certain premises at rate that the centry of Macon, and State of Illinots, and discribed as fall uses to will. The south hilf of the northwest quarrier of the south was quantity of the south was quarter of set from wearly four (1) in town ships sixteen ((1) in still range two (2) and of the Hild I rine fpul Merliam. That sold premises will be sold on the following terms. One third of the 11d to be couch in hand one third to fall due in six months and one third to fall due in the sold on the following terms. One there of the 11d to be couch in hand one third to fall due in one year from the dute of sale all deferred payments to be sourced by my first the parmises as of provided the parmises required the parmises as of provided the parmises return to pay all or any pertion of any deferred in Stating the country and the country and the country and the country of the country count of Macon counts. Illinots pronounced at the line term A. D. 13x in the mode of the aministration of said estate.

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O t det Commissioners of Highways

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

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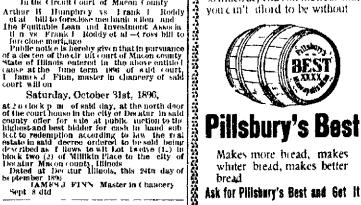
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snd 43 Fenton block.

Smoke the famous Loda, a tine 10 center, made by John Weigand. Meh 25 tf. Many of the county Republican clubs will come to Decator Thursday on horse

See our cheap shoes for mon. PHILPOTT's, 229 N. Water St. Octbill F. L. Stevenson, Assignee.

The mombers of the board of directors of the Y. M. C. A. will hold a business meeting this evening at the 100ms.

If you want to get the best \$3 bay's shoe we over saw for \$1, 31, to 5, now is your chance at Powers' slice store ---6-d6t

New shoes for Fall arriving daily. Pun.rom's,

F. L. Stevenson, Assignee.

The McKinley club met at Macon last night and leelded to attend the big rally in Decatur on the 8th. Every member of

At the High school yesterday afternoon

S. W. Johns has returned from Springfield where he was busy all last week at the state fair. He says the board is behind about \$65,000 on the week, owing principally to bad weather.

Will save you money on School Shoes at 229 North Water street.

> Phierori, F. L. Stevenson, Assignee

Oct. 5 dtf Today Mr and Mrs. David Blalock celsbrated their golden wedding anniversary at their home in Mt. Zion tawnship by giving a dinner party to a large number of friends Mr. Blalock is 75 years old-

300 pairs of Ladies' Shoes, former pures \$2.50 to \$3.50, at \$1.75, at

Phil porr's, 229 N. Water. F. L. Stevenson, Assigner.

Lump or crushed coke for sale in any nantity by the Decatur Gas Light & loke company. Can be used instead of tard coal and is much cheaper. Office 😕 North Main. Telephone 127, or 51.

Banes' millinory store on North Main street. The display attracts considerable ittention

A Replevin Suit.

A replevin suit of Mrs. Laura Howard against Mrs. T. Dill, came up this morning in Justice Peddecord's court. Mrs. Howard and her husband had rooms at the defendant by J. M. Gray. Mrs. Dill will sue Mrs. Howard and her husband for the \$40 board bill tomorrow if settlement is not reached before that time.

Homes for Children.

Steward Burley of the Macon county poor farm, was in the city today. He now has three small children at the farm, and seven more will be there by night, sent by Rev. David Guy, who is agent for the Home for Friendless Children, at Englewood. The little ones have been brought here from various points. Their ages range from two months to eleven years. The children will be taken to Englewood by a lady who will come after them, and in time will rendezvous in the corridor on the they will be provided with comfortable

Ladies Take Particular Notice.

Madain D. V. Whipple, expert art con-S. G. Hatch & Bro. | George S. Durice will have charge of the

BIG RALLY DAY.

Great Republican Gathering in Decatur on October 8.

ALL DAY MEETING---THE PARADE.

Union Veterans Ready for Special Escort Duty-Clubs to Parade at Night-Speaking at the Park and at Two

Halls.

Next Thursday, October 8, will occur a great Republican rally in Decatur, the speaking of the afternoon at Oakland park to be followed at night by a big torchlight demonstration in which home and visiting clubs will participate.

Afternoon at Onkland Park, Addresses during the afternoon will be delivered by

HON, J. G. CANNON, of Danville. HON. C. J. LINDLEY, of Greenville, GEN. E. B. HAMILTON, of Quincy, HON, E. H. YATES, of Griggsville. Demonstration at Night.

There will be speaking at the opera ouse and at the tabernacie, two big balls Badenhausen, Beutenant. pen to accommodate the people, follow ng the terchlight parade.

Notable Military Visitors.

At 8:15 p. m. October 8, the patricti herces of the late war, General Daniel E. Slekles, of Now York; General Russell A. Alger, of Michigan; General Oliver O. Howard, of Now York; General Franz Sigel, of New York; General Thomas J. Stewart, of Pennsylvania; Corporal Tan ner, ex-Commissioners of Pensions, and Captain John R. Tanner, Republican candidate for governor, will arrive in Decatur from the south in their special train and he the guests of Decatur over night. Several of the veteran generals will make speeches at the balls for the Republican national and state tickets.

All Coming. The prospects are that with fair weather there will be a great crowd in Decatur on pull in from Springfield and a big party will come from Taylorville. All of the County Superintendent J. G. Keller gave towns in Macon county will send delegathe members of the senior class a helpful tions. The local committee has inforaddress on "Individuality" in school and mation that Corro Gordo will send a band and delegation; Newman, a band and delogation; Tuscola and Atwood a delegation, and Moweaqua and Lake City will be represented in the parade Thursday

To Clubs... General Order, No. 5. All mombers of the McKinley merching dules are hereby requested to meet at their respective ward bendquarters at 7 Pelock p. m., Thursday, Oct. 8, and murch thence to general headquarters to sarticipate in the demonstration in honor of the war generals who will arrive here at 5 to p. m., Thursday ovening.

ound money club and the Bill Sterr headquarters beading west, where all men without torches may get them, and the slub then assigned to its place in the

All cavalry will report to Lieutenant William and Church streets, who will as dgn the clubs to their positions.

The bicycla club will report to their

street on the left of the cavalry.

billbud at the state is now on exhibit contral committee their intention to be tion in the show window of Miss Wil- present and take part in the parade. Capin columns of fours, their uniformed men on the right.

All other commanding officers will form their clubs in columns of fours before taking their places in the line.

Torches for the Decatur ward clubs will be sent to their respective in eting places Mrs. Dill's boarding house on East or to places designated by their captains, Cerro Gordo street. They stayed five in order that there be as little delay as Mrs. Howard's furniture for a \$40 board | clubs are expected to | be at general headbill which was unpaid. Mrs. Howard quarters at or before, 7:30 p m. Goodreplevied the goods. When the case man's band will report at the corner of

H. M. Moore, adjutant. Line of March.

West on Prairie avenue to Pinc, south on Pine to Main; east on Main to Water; north on Water to Elderade; east on Eldorado to Illinois Central tracks. When the right reaches the Illinois Central tracks the column will open order and the Union Veteran Republican club will escort the speakers through the line. The column will then counter march on Eldorado street marching thence on Eldorado to Church, south on Church to Wood, east on Wood to Water; north on Water to Central park where the parade will disband. All Union Veterans, Attention.

The Union Veteran Republican club ground floor of the court house on Thursday evening, Oct. 8, at 7 o'clock sharp to not as escort to General Sickles and

party. All vetorans who served at any broldary teacher. Chicago, will give a dis-time in the army are careestly requested pmy in our store, Oct. 12, 18 and 14th. to meet with the club and assist in honor-All ladies interested are cardially invited ing our distinguished comrades who will to stiend. Remember Oct. 12, 18 and visit Decatur on that occasion. Captain

provided. Let each comrade carry a cane. George R. Stecle, Pres., Cy. M. Imbo-

Club Calls for Thursday Night, The First ward McKinley club is hereby requested to meet at Clokey & Black's in the grand parade. Claude Chandler, dians of the United States, don to me captain.

The Second ward M. Kinley and Hobert murching club and all other Republicans wishing to march are requested to meet street at 7 o'clock sharp. Bert C. Bobb, and following the time hone is a dy-

asked to report in uniform Those living Doako's barn at 7:15 sharp and await the arrival of the division from the west end. B. F. Walter, captain.

Seventh district McKinley marching club will meet at Jacob's greecry store at | ger in the Union would think he was he ward are invited to join us. W. H. Sponce, captain.

The Fifth ward McKinley and Hobart marching club and all other Republicans ab Kraft's bottling works at 7 o'clock sharp. Hen Hawkins, captain, F. W.

The Sixth ward McKinley and Hobart marching club and all other Republicans wishing to march are requested to meet and call the dog. Any knot of motive at the Warren street school house at 7 o'clock sharp. August Buckman, cap-

a requested to meet at the corner of Law or and Orchard streets at 7 o'clock sharp. Will Genderney, captain.

The Seventh ward McKinley and Ho art marching club will meet at 7 o'clock it the corner of King and Monroe streets.

LETTER FROM OLD MEXICO.

Low Wages.

The following letter of special interest ust now is from the pen of Arthur S. Robinson, of Decatur, who for many months has been in the Mexican Republic. engaged in the construction of an extendon of the Santa Fe railroad. The family of Mr. Robinson, who is a sen-in-law of the late J. R. Mosser, is now in Decutur, accupying the homestead north of the sity. Here is the letter:

Tampico, Mexico Sept. 26, 196 Eds. Republican: In this far away terninal of the earth and the Mexican Ceniral ratiroad one hears only faint (choes of the 16 to 1 fight that we believe is now going on in the "land of the free and the bome of the brave." I saw in a Mexico-(city) paper that there were two gentle men from Chicago in this country, sent All ward clubs, the traveling men's mind me of the story that my tather-in law, the late Mr. Mosser, used to tell. A Tanner club will march past general jarmer boy, after many sections convalin one morning to study law under the guidance of the village lawyer. That night saw him back home again, on the kitchen porch surrounded by all the luxury of 'olonel Colladay at the corner of West the back yard, relating his experiences the result of which was summed up in his closing remark, * This 'cro perfession of a lawyer am't what it's cracked up to be, Summanding officer on West William wish I hadn't learned it." The verdict in that case was just about as reliable as pirke for thirty days to two lower for All other delegations will be assigned that which will be expounded by the said cents or ten loaves for 20 cents. The The wood carving that L E. Foster cz. positions as they report to the county investigators when they return to the broad is for sale at all ground store and the eagor crowd of laborers (") who paid their handle bread. The leaves are full wear pro rata and the expenses to give a fine 16 ouncestovery time-part P or 13 ounces tains of ward clubs will form their clubs wip and a polly good time to a couple of Ask your grocer for the Bine Label at 4 favorites, buto this quaint old country, so have no other if you want our treat many hundreds of years behind its dash- Decatur Cracker Co.- 1 d30 ing sister republic of the north. Now if these self-denying seekers after knowledge for the benefit of their follow craftsmen, the home of Mrs. Martin, carner of Cerro really want to learn how tree silver Gordo and Edward streets, topogress at works, let them try to flud a job | Sev- 2:30 o'clook. All members are arged to enty-five deliars per month will keep some families very well, but \$75 means weeks and when they left Mrs. Dill kept possible in ferming the parade. All \$37.50 U. S. curroncy now, and when he takes out his own expenses and femilis the balance in gold, if the poor little wife can find enough in the express envelope to feed a little mouth till next pay day she ought to be happy. But what do you think of a clerk's salary. In Gundalajara there are lots of them working for \$15 per month. Mexican money of course. Still worse, a pelado (workman) farm hand on the big bacterdos gets the mu-James L. Francis, Aldernan Cherago of corn and beans. Meat? Oh, yes, they have meat. Among other delicacies in that line is a big lizzard, eighteen or twenty inches long, ground squirrols, etc. Once in a while they kill a cow at a neighboring village. Every trees that neighboring village. Every tree that grows has some kind of a bean and scarcely one of them they do not eat. Their bouses, usually 10x14 feet, built up to the caves about 4 feet high of rough stones and roofed with grass are lighted by the

club during the parade. Badges will be hole they crawl through for a duer and carpeted with a thick layer of diri to ked down to mather earth

Their wardrobe consists of a cetten shirt worn outside a pair of cott at rope ers, a pair of leather sand ils, a setalogic, and a blanket. As they are meetly be office promptly at 7 o'cook to participate dians, they, like their cousins, the h us Due, Mathit says, what there easie llong as it is red.' This sure of tables they wear the year round waste of eq. easionally in some brook or manding at Starr's harness shop on North Mann ditch, hanging it out to dry or a bush themselves of the lady who advised has All Republicans and members of the daughter about taking a swim they Third ward. McKinley club are requested do not like to take a bath, and divers to report at Kater's grocery on Thursday a smally except once a year enest demak evening, Oct. 8, at 7 o'clock sharp. All day. Their custom compels that t those who have uniforms are carnestly whether they really need it or not these conditions apply only to the weighter in the east end of the ward please meet at classes. The rich live well, but still they cannot compare with the some chases; the states. But here as in all offer comtries, they ride in their characteristic and the poor do the other thing. The pretesting 7 o'clock sharp to participate in the grand ling a row close to the edge of the proparado which takes place up town at 7 pice of starvation and want of he had r o'clock. All Republicans in the Fourth better living than a large in apparent of the common people of this repulse in making a comparison of the in a countrie. the gauge is the condition of the goals ing or common people. Jut where to wishing to murch are requested to meet draw that line is hard to tell Nature has done so much for these peopleth t their wants are very few. For normer when they move, which a not dwave a the fashionable date of the 1st of May, all they have to do is to see mo to the mas good enough for them here. Whater they care whether the main is less for 39 to 12 It's all right if they went to be The German McKinley marching thub a handful of corn or beaus or a day simple ply of lard, which by the way, e on cent's worth and you can sewle rethgrocery clerk stuck his finger into the em and greased the inside of the little carp en dish that the #2 per month cream is taking home. But when you want some little thing from a foreign country will instance a comb, a common horn har Joon that one can buy it well up come: What Arthur S. Rabinson, of Decatur, Has | for 10 costs 186 here - A cast from ham mer that one can buy for the and it mighty dear at that, Is but here, and thus if one wants to know what free silver will do, they should live here for at loss six months. For only in this way can one learn in that largest of educational inst tutions, the school of experience what it is to have a monetary medium of the preclated value

I wish I could be with you but doty to and pride la my work problem a 0 any advice would do any good, I would like to give this, which was given man other cause, and by One whose teachings grown more beautiful and true even day: "Wenk out your own salvation with fear and trembling 'But dunt for th sake of all that has made Averageb model of nations, don't chapen your elves in the eyes of the anythird world A cheap man is no good. The rame: stud of nations. If you make it a pole dollar and can assure the world that R will remain so, it will have the effected making other prople's collars letter. A prominent banker, for allustration,

old rio the other day that if the gold party should win, Mexican doll as would be worth from 75 to #1 cents, and this you see an honest dollar is the ridest work of nations. Yours in the G. O. P.

Arthur - Rolumon

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